THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. C. P. THAKUR) : (a) CGHS beneficiaries were allowed to take treatment in 24 private hospitals recognised under CGHS Delhi as pir Department of Health's O.M. dated 18.9.96 which included Escorts Heart and Medical Research Centre, Faridabad. In Novermber, 2000, tenders were called for fresh recognition of private hospitals under CGHS Delhi on the basis of which 55 private hospitals/ diagnostic centres were recognised *vide* Department of Health's O.M. dated 7.9.2001.

As Sir Gangaram Hospital, New Delhi, Sunderlal Jain Hospital, New Delhi, Escorts Heart Institute & Research Centre, New Delhi, Indraprastha Apollo Hospitals, New Delhi, Batra Hospital & Medical Research Centre, New Delhi and Dharamshila Cancer Hospital & Research Centre, New Delhi, did not agree to the revised rates along with the terms and conditions offered by the Government in the tender document for fresh recognition, the said hospitals could not be considered for recognition and included in the said O.M. dated 7.9.2001. However, it has been decided for the benefit of CGHS beneficiaries that they can take treatment in these hospitals but reimbursement shall be restricted as per the package deal rates given in the Department of Health's earlier O.M. dated 18.9.96.

As Escorts Hospital & Research Centre, Faridabad, had not applied in response to the advertisement of CGHS in November, 2000 calling for fresh recognition of private hospitals, the said hospital has not been included in the orders dated 25.10.2001 issued by the CGHS.

(b) and (c) No representations have been received from Escorts Hospital & Research Centre, Faridabad, or from individuals, etc. in this regard.

(d) In view of (b) and (c) above, the question does not arise.

**Scholarship and stipend to ST students**

* 194. MISS MABEL REBELLO: Will the Minister ofTRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the difference between a scholarship and a stipend granted to students belonging to scheduled tribe;

(b) who are entitled to receive such scholarships and stipends;

(c) the different rates of scholarships and stipends received by students belonging to scheduled tribes, State-wise, Subject-wise and sex-wise; and

(d) the restrictions and conditions, if any for granting post-matric scholarship or stipend to a student belonging to scheduled tribe?

THE MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI JUAL ORAM): (a) The Ministry of Tribal Affairs is implementing a Centrally Sponsored Scheme of post matric Scholarship to ST students for both Hostelers and Day Scholars. Scholarship is paid to ST students to assist them to meet the expenses involved in pursuing studies. Stipend is generally provided to meet living/incidential charges under certain schemes.

(b) Under the scheme of post-matric Scholarship all the eligible ST students who are studying in post-matric or post-secondary courses in recognized institutions are eligible to receive scholarship as per the provision of the scheme.

(c) Rates of Scholarship under the Scheme of post-matric Scholarship are based on the subjects pursued by the ST students and the annual income of the family. The rates are uniform for all States/UTs and Boys and Girls students. The subject-wise rates of scholarships is at Statement-I (See below).

(d) Information is at Statement-Il.

**Statement-I**

*Rates of scholarship*

The value of scholarship includes maintenance allowance, reimbursement of compulsory non- refundable fees, Study tour charges, thesis typing/printing charges and book allowance for students pursuing correspondence courses. The details are given below:—

The rates of maintenance allowance is as under:—

Rs. per month

| Subject | Hostlers | Day Scholars |
|---|---|---|
| (A) Medical/Engineering including Degree level courses in Indian Medicine, B.A.M. & S. and Comparable courses in Ayurvedic Unani/Tibia and Homeopathic System of Medicine. B.Sc. (Agriculture/ B.V.Sc. B.F.Sc. (fisheries) Higher technical and all professional studies like degree and Post-graduate courses in Agricultural and Veterinary Science. | 425 | 190 |
| (B) Diploma level courses in Indian Medicine and Comparable courses in Ayurvedic. Unani/ Tibia and Homeopathic System of medicine. Diploma and comparable courses in Engineering, Technology, Architecture, Medicine, diploma | 290 | 190 |

| Subject | Hosters | Day Scholars |
|---|---|---|
| level courses for overseer draftsman, Surveyor, Commercial Pilot licence, diploma and Higher courses in Hotel management Catering Technology and applied Nutrition. Degree and post-graduate courses in nursing and pharmacy. Wireless and Television operators/sound recording and sound engineering motion picture, photography, film direction/acting/screenplay/ writing. Degree/post-graduate diploma courses in Business Management, charterd and cost/work Accountancy. Post graduate courses in science subjects. | | |
| (C) Certificate course in Engineering/Technology/ Architecture and Medicine. Diploma and Certificate in Agriculture, Pharmacy, Veterinary Science, fisheries, dairy Development, Hygiene and Public Health, Sanitary Inspector's Course, Courses for Rural Service, Cooperation and Community Development, Sub-Officer's Courses at the National Fire Service College, Nagpur. Librarian Science. Degree/Post graduate Diploma and Post graduate courses in Teachers' Training, Library Science and Physical Education, Music Fine Arts and Law, Craft Instructors Training Course, Certificate Course in Hotel Management/ Catering Technology and Applied Nutrition. Passenger Transport Management, Associate Degree in Pharmacy. Post graduate courses in Arts and Commerce subjects. | 290 | 190 |
| (D) General courses up to Graduate Level 92nd year and onward. | 230 | 120 |
| (E) Class 11th and 12th in 10+2 system, Intermediate courses and first year of general courses up to graduate level. | 150 | 90 |

| Conditions of eligibility | |
|---|---|
| (a) In case of students whose parents' /guardians' income from all sources does not exceed Rs. 45,760/- per annumt. | Full maintenance allowance and full fee. |
| (b) In case of students whose parents'/guardians' income from all sources exceeds Rs. 45,760/- per annum but not exceeds Rs. 60,965/~per annum. | (i) full maintenance allowance and full fees to students pursuing the courses in Group (A)<br>(ii) Half maintenance allowance and full fee to students pursuing courses in group B,C,D andE. |
| (c) In case of students, whose parents'/guardians' income from all sources exceeds Rs. 60,965/- per annum. | |
| Fees | |
| Scholars are paid enrolment/registration, tuition, games, Union, Library, Magazine, Medical Examination and such other fees compukorily payable by the scholar to the institution or university/board. | No Scholarship. |

deposit are excluded.

Study Tours

Study tours charges up to a maximum of Rs. 500 per annum limited to the actual expenditure incurred by the students on transportation charges is paid to the scholars studying professional and technical courses.

Thesis typing/Printing charges

Thesis typing/printing charges up to a maximum of Rs. 600 is paid to research scholars on the recommendation of the Head of the Institution.

Correspondence courses including distance and continuing education.

The students pursuing such courses are paid an allowance of Rs. 500/-for essential/prescribed books besides reimbursement of course fees.

**Statement-II**

*Salient restrictions and conditions for availing post-matric scholarship*

1. Candidates who after passing one stage of education are studying in the same stage of education in different subject *e.g.* I.Sc. after I. A. or B.Com. after B.A. or M.A. in other subject will not be eligible.
2. Students who, after having completed their educational career in one professional line *e.g.* LL.B. after B.T/B.Ed. will not be eligible. From the academic year 1980-81, studies in two professional courses are allowed.
3. Students pursuing Post-graduation courses in medicine will be eligible if they are not allowed to practice during the period of their course.
4. Employed students who takes without pay leave for the entire duration of the course and study as full time students will be eligible for scholarships.
5. Students who after failing or passing die under Graduate/Post Graduate examinations in Arts/Science/Commerce join any recognized professional or Technical certificate/diploma/degree courses will be awarded scholarship. No subsequent failure will be condoned except courses in group "A" and no further change in the course will be allowed.
6. A scholarship holder under this scheme will not hold any other scholarship/stipend.
7. In case of students, whose parents'/guardians' income from all sources exceeds Rs. 60,965/- per annum will not be entitled to get the scholarship.

**Civic ills in the Capital**

*195. SHRI NANA DESHMUKH: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state: